## KAUFMANN &

## That Great Consignment of Golf Capes

On Sale To-Day and for Eighteen Days More.

A score of women were made happy by the great consignment of GOLF, CLOTH, AND PLUSH CAPES sent us this week to be sold through our great wholesale and retail outlet at THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS' LOSS to the manufacturer.

### \$7.50, \$8.50, and \$9.00 Golf Capes for . .

all made of the finest imported shawls, double-faced golf cloths, etc., in the best and latest designs solid colors, combinations, etc., with bright and richest plaid flounce and hood, including Black and White; over thirty different combinations and styles to select from. See big window display and don't overlook this sale, if you need a winter wrap.

Ladies Stylish Cloth Capes, \$1.00 UP. Ladies' Plush Capes, trimmed \$1.88 UP.

JACKETS AS YOU NEVER BOUGHT THEM BEFORE—50 Full Silk-Lined Ladies' \$5.00 Ladies' Handsomest Top Coats shown this season, made of the finest cloths and 100 lined throughout with highest-grade satin, \$10 and \$12 values, for.....

Girls' Reefers, Coats, and Jackets. A great Friday and Saturday bargain event. Hundreds to choose from at \$12.00

MILLINERY PRICED AS NEVER BEFORE. 150 Beautifully Trimmed Hats and Bonnets, the most fashionable creations of the season—Hats positively worth up to \$9.50, at

\$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.75, \$3.50, \$4, \$5, and \$6.

LADIES' FRENCH FELT Tam o' 75c. Shint r Hats, velvet trimmings...... 75c. CHILDREN'S CLOTH TAM O'

MISSES' FELT HATS, stitched brim, 48c. Tam o' Shanter crown.... BOYS' AND GIRLS' LEATHER TAM O' SHANTERS.....

KAUFMANN & CO., Fourth and Broad.

## FOURQUREAN, TEMPLE & CO., 429 east Broad street.

Holiday Handkerchiefs. MORE HANDKERCHIEFS-FINER. PRETTIER, AND CHEAPER HANDKER-CHIEFS—than we ever before exhibited. and there's more style and quality and intrinsic worth in them than you've ever had a chance to get for so little money. The reason is we import them, so, after the man makes them, ours is the only profit. There are several hundreds of dozens here in every good kind and style procurable on the other side. They are linen, of course-all linen, guaranteed absolutely. This of some kinds and the way we've marked them:

#### Ladies' Handkerchiefs. PLAIN.

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, abso-ticly all linen, regular size, 5c. each. Handkerchiefs, sheer, il linen, 12 1-2. Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, sheer,

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, sneer, ill linen, 16 2-3c, each. Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, all inen, very finc, five widths of hems, -4, 1-2 3-4, 1, and 2 inches, in heavy or sheer cloth, at 25c, each. Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, fine texure, all linen, beautiful and sheer, my width of hem, from 1-4 to 2 inches,

Men's Handkerchiefs.

Hemstitched Haudkerchiefs, all linen, full size, very extra value, at 25c, each. Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. linen, full size, extra qualities, at 37 1-2, 50, and 75c, each. Initialled Handkerchiefs, all linen, full size, any letter, 25c, each, Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, all linen, hemstitched, new patterns, fast colors, 25c, each, colors, 25c. each.

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs at 45, 65,
75c., \$1, \$1,25, and \$1,50 each.

Eandanas and Mufflers, \$1,50 to

Ladies' Handkerchiefs. EMBROIDERED.

Embroidered and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, or 'scalloped border, all linen, 12 1-2c. each. Embroidered and Hemstitched or 'Scalloped Border Handkerchiefs, over 2,990 dozen to select from, all linen, 25c. each.

Embroidered and Hemstitched or Scalloped Border Handkerchiefs, specially selected patterns, all linen,

Embroidered and Hemstitched or 'Scalloped Border Handkerchiefs, extra fine, all linen, 75c, each. Embroidered and Hemstitched or 'Scalloped Border Handkerchiefs, in beautiful, extra fine, and unique \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, and \$3 each. Lace-Trimmed Handkerchiefs, hem-stitched or 'scalloped borders, at 25, 50, 75c., \$1, \$1,25, \$1,50, and \$2 each 50, 75c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1,50, and \$2 each.
Real Duchess Lace Handkerchiefs,
fresh goods, new patterns. Prices;
\$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$10, \$12, and \$15 each.
Round Point Lace Handkerchiefs,
strikingly pretty patterns, at \$5, \$6,
\$7, \$8, \$10, \$12, and \$15 each.
SPECIAL-Ladies' Initialled Handkerchiefs, all linen, hemstitched,
dainty little letters, 25c.

## Fourgurean, Temple & Co., HANDKERCHIEFS.

THE CITIES BY THE SEA.

Wants Ten Thousand Dollars Damages-A Safe Robbed.

RFOLK, VA., December 7.—(Special.) F. W. Power, of Washington, D. C., ats \$10,000 for alleged slander on the part of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life The case was begun be of Law and Chancery to-day. Mr. Power fermerly worked for the defendant association. He was recommended by Mr. E. T. Powell, of this city, and after his connection with the association ceased. connection with the assertion of the latter, it is allexed, wrote to Mr. I. Potts Neer, of Hillsborough, died on Powell, accusing Mr. Power of falling to Tuesday evening in the 77th year of his

Last night robbers broke into the office of Wainwright & Co., oyster packers, of Portsmouth, and stole \$200 from the The loss was not discovered until the office was opened for business this morning, when the safe door was found open and the money gone. The firm kept no mency in the safe, the amount stolen having been left with the book-keeper by locked, as there were no signs of break-

ing.

The answers of Clerk-of-the-Court Royster and Mrs. Honora Barraud to the petition for a mandamus from Judge Hanckel, compelling Clerk Royster to receive from W. E. Swann the delinquent taxes for 1850 on Mrs. Barraud's Falk-land-street property, were to-day delivered to Mr. W. M. Justis, coursel for Mr. Swann. The answers are a general de nial of the allegations in the Swann pe tition. The case, upon was a many others depend, comes up in the Corpora tion court to-morrow.

#### FARMER KILLED.

Struck by a Train-Many Indictments.

DANVILLE, VA., December 7.-(Spe-(al.)-South-bound Southern passengertrain No. 35 this afternoon, at Chatham, struck and almost instantly killed Wilm R. Atkins, a well-known farmer who lived near Banister, Pittsylvania anty. He had just tied his horse, and was on the railway in the act of crossing

when struck. The United States grand jury to-day re-ported, after three-days' sitting, sixty-ans true bills of indictment, most of m for trivial violations of revenue

W. Chandler, of this city, maileagon driver, was indicted on four counts

for robbing the mails.

Hearing was had in the case of J. L.
Leglish, a Federal Court commissioner,
under a rule requiring him to show cause
why he should not be removed for discheying the Court's order. The case was
submitted and decision reserved.

PREDERICKSBURG.

Present to a Hospital-Sale Confirmed.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., December 7. Special.)-The Mary Washington Hospital Association to-day received from Balnore a large and handsome medicine est. It was the gift of Mrs. Julia L.

elected W. F. Coates delegate, and H. Kaufman alternate, to the Grand Counof that order.

odge Wallace this evening confirmed Sale of the property, franchises, etc. the Rappahannock Electric-Light and ower Company to Mr. Charles Sickles, New York. The purchase price was \$27.50

LOUDOUN COUNTY.

Death of an Old Citizen-Other

Mention. LEESBURG, VA., December 7 .- (Special.)-Loudoun county has lost another very loyal and true-hearted citizen. Mr. count for certain funds received by age. He had suffered for many years from rheumatism. Mr. Neer always led an active life, and was successful in the affairs of business. He accumulated a

affairs of business. He accumulated a good fortune, and was greatly loved and respected by our citizens and, indeed, by all who had made his acquaintance.

Mr. Willis Rogers, of Woodburn, has sold his fine bay hunter, "Hobson," to Dr. Thomas Nelson Page, the well-known author. "Hobson" is a beauty and without a blemish, and took several prizes at the Upperville Colt Show in June last. He sold for a little over \$400.

Mr. W. W. Nixon, of this place, a brother of Mr. Lewis Nixon, the well-known ship-builder, has left to fill a desirable position with the International Smokeless-Powder and Dynamite Company, of South Amboy, N. J.

Mr. Joseph B. Thomas, of Loudoun, has been made treasurer of the Pocahontas Coal and Land Company.

The funeral of Mr. Milton Seaton, the murdered Town Sergeant of Middleburg, was the largest seen there for years, as he was a popular and excellent citizen. No arrest has been made as yet.

Fire in Westmoreland.

WARSAW, VA., December 7.—(Special.) The barns and stables of J. N. Wright, situated near Oldham's, in Westmoreiand county, together with a large quantity of corn, wheat, and hay, were consumed by fire last night. The Joss was about \$2,999. The fire is thought to have been the work of an incendiary.

emments Sorry she didn't quit coffee sooner before kidneys became affected.

did not commence sooner, before kidneys were so badly affected as they

Postum Food Coffee was recommended to me by Rev. Gray and wife, of Coldwater, who said it had been of great benefit to them, doing away with bad feeling of the heart, indigestion, etc., the ble, of that city, in memory of her bles, that city is that city is the city of the heart, indigestion, etc., the truth of which I have since proved by truth of which I have since proved by the city of the heart, indigestion, etc., the city of the heart, indigestion, et A letter received here yesterday announced the marriage, in Paris, France, of Mr. R. B. Shepherd, formerly of this city, and Mrs. Margaret Mckelson, of New York city. Mr. Shepherd has been in Paris about a year.

#### GREENSBORO'.

Another Death at the Normal-Small Fire.

GREENSBORO', N. C., December 7. (Special.)-Miss Pattle Babbitt, of New Berne, N. C., died at the Normal last evening about 6 o'clock, of typhoidfever, making the eighth death from the fever at that institution. The remains were taken to her home to-day A fire occurred behind the handsom

block of business-houses on south Elm street, opposite the McAdoo Hotel, this morning. The small building used by the Church Record, newspaper, caught fire. and considerable damage was done. The firemen arrived so promptly that the flames were prevented from spreading to

father's old musket and shot his brothe n the abdomen, killing him instantly. After the shooting the surviving brothe started to the mill-pond, near-by, and would have drowned himself, but was overtaken by his father just before he reached the pond. The old man tied the boy and delivered him to the authori

Newport News Jottings.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., December 7. (Special.)-Information was received to day that Mr. M. E. Ingalls, president c the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, as companied by the entire Board of Direct tors of the company and the general officers, would arrive here next Monday for the purpose of inspecting the road the terminals, and the extensive improve ments under way. This will be the firstime the Board of Directors have visited Newport News in a body. It is understood that the bodies of the

Maine's dead will reach Old Point on the Texas about December 20th. A de-tachment of artillerymen will accompany coffins to the funeral train, which will be in waiting to take them to Wash "Since leaving off coffee and using Postum Food Coffee my kidney trouble has been so much better that I am sorry that the commence somether that I am sorry this evening and left for Washington.

Hepburn Canal Bill Again. WASHINGTON. D. C., December 7.— Representative Hepburn, of Iowa, rein-troduced in the House to-day his bill from the last Congress to appropriate \$140,000,000 for the construction of the Nicaragua canal.

Man Almost Scalped. Henry Johnson, a colored employee of the Tredegar-Works, was burt badly yes-terday. A quantity of stone and dirt caved in on him and cut his head. The

TO STAND UNALTERED.

MR. EPES PROPOSED FOR THE PLACE

He is Claimed to Have Been th minion Delegation-Other Person

als of Interest.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 7. the committee he would have the ap-pointment.

Governor Tyler had a talk with Repre-

sentative Lamb over the long-distance 'phone to-day, as a result of which the latter gentleman hied himself to the Census Bureau, where he had an interview with Director Merriam and made a strong PILOT ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the National Pilot Association was held at the Metropolitan Hotel here to-day, representatives from all the leading scaports of the country being present. Considerable business of importance was transacted, and the following the control of the control of the country being present.

rank of major, Webster Vinson, of Virginia, from date of April 3, 1899, vice Snif-To be first eutenant of Twenty-seventh United States Volunteer Infantry, James

Fauntieroy, of Virginia; rank from

July 5, 1889.

To be second lieuterants of Twenty-seventh United States Infantry, Robert S. Knox, Louie St. Clair Munford, Francis W. Griffin, and Frederick H. Plunmer, all of Virginia; rank from July 5, 1899.

To be second lieutenants of Twenty-ninth United States Volunteer Infantry, Palest O Patterson and

John W. Avery, Robert O. Patterson, and Holmes Conrad, Jr., all of North Carolina,

rank from August 17, 1899.
To be captains Forty-third Infantry, William R. Beavers, of North Carolina, and William B. Preston, of Virginia, rank

from August 17, 1839.

To be first lieutenant Forty-third Infantry, Robert Le Masurier, of Virginia, rank August 17, 1899. PERSONAL

Senator Martin and the Virginia rej resentatives—Messrs. Epes, Swanson, and Hay—who visited Richmond on the eye of the assembling of the Legislature.

returned, and were all at the Capitol tonator John W. Daniel has temporary quarters at the St. James Hotel. W. D. Bailey, of North Carolina; B. Chambers and wife, of Northumberland,

Va., and John Howard, Jr., of Richmond, are at the National.
G. E. Leith, Leesburg, Va.; Leo W. Ormsbee and wife, Dranesville, Va.; W. C. Cook, North Carolina-Metropolitan.

POSTAL. Fourth-class postmasters were appointed to-day as follows: J. R. K. Cowan, Cowan's Mills. Montgomery county, Va., and F. L. Dulin, Leon, Madison county, Commissioned: Gabriel J. Jones, Big

Rock, N. C., and Joseph M. White, New House, N. C. House, N. C.

A new post-office has been established
at Yacht, Grayson county, Va., with
Isane W. Burton as postmaster.

BILLS IN THE SENATE.

One Presidential Term of Six Years-

House Term Four. WASHINGTON, D. C., December 7.-Senator Harris to-day introduced a joint resolution providing for the limitation of the time a President shall be elected to one term of six years, and making the he wished to go. Owing to the noise of terms of members of the House four passing vehicles they did not hear the Tillman introduced a bill giving

soldlers of the Spanish war the same preference in civil service appointments as that given to soldiers of the civil war. Mr. Harris introduced a bill granting pensions to persons who served in the Confederate service and afterwards in the army and navy of the United States. Reduced the Death Rate.

The monthly statement of the Board of Health for November last shows that only 100 deaths occurred in this city-51 whites (24 males and 27 females), and 49 colored (28 males and 21 females). This shows a decrease of eight, as compared with the corresponding month last year.

And Every Form of Torturing

Disfiguring Skin and Scalp Humors Cured by

SPIEDY CURE TREATMENT.—Bathe the affected parts thoroughly with Hot Water and Cuticura Soap. Next apply Cuticura Gintment, the great skin cure, and lastly take a full dose of Cuticura Resolvert. This treatment will afford instant, relief permit rest and sleep, and point to a speedy, permanent, and economical cure when all else fails.

Sold everywhere. Price, THE SET, \$1.25; OF, CUTICUEA SOLF, 25c; OUNTERFY, 50c; RESOLVERY (Ath. 418c), 50c, PUTTER DEUG AND CHEM. COAF., Sole Propa, Boston. "- How to Cure Eccam," "Open, bock, free.

# To-Day the Last Remnant Sales-Day Till Chris



this store every Friday.

A new booth is established in the main aisle, where deft fingers are turning out any kind of Flowers of t and Lamp Shades, of any shape. Color, or kind you desire. Hundreds are ready for sale.

Flowers, 3 for 10c. and upwards. Lamp Shades, \$1.50 to \$12.50.

FOR THE WINTER?

These sharp, snappy days suggest Clothing of the good, warm sort—Clothing that will withstand the high pressure of youthful spirits. If you can find your size amongst this lot, you'll be specially fortunate.

7 Little Boys' Fancy Reefer Suits, only I of a kind, balance of suits \$1.50 to \$2.50, sale at 98c.

2 \$5 Vestee Suits—1 5-year, 1 7-year—sale at \$2.50.

2 \$7.50 Knee-Pants Suits, with fancy vest

2 \$7.50 Knee-Pants Suits, with fancy vest to match—1 10-year, 1 12-year—sale at \$4.50.

For boys 14 to 15 years only we have 10 All-Wool Cheviot Double-Breasted Suits, sold for \$1.95, sale to-day of those 2 sizes, at \$1.29.
4 Fancy Vestee Suits-2 5-year, 2 6-year—sold for \$5, sale at \$3.50.
For boys 14 and 15 years of age only; also, 12 Suits of Wool-Mixed Cheviot, sold for \$1.48, sale to-day at 98c, a suit.
1 Swell \$10 Napoleon-Blue Reefer, with velvet shawl collar, 3 years only, sale at \$7.50.

Half-Piece 411-Wool Craw Black

Half-Piece All-Wool Crow-Black Henrietta, the 40c. value, to close,

ountry less of he fol-I. Ed. John ht, and ht, and defended and the fol-I. Ed. John ht, and defended and follow by a following the following series and spec-

8-karat Gold Rimless Eye-Glasses, pa-tent offset, 88c. president of the Norfolk Pilot Association.

NOMINATIONS.

In the long list of recess appointments made by the President and sent to the Senate yesterday for confirmation are the following:

Only 1 (2018)

Only a few sizes High-Bust Short-Hip Corsets, the most popular styles, sizes 3. 22, 23, 24, and 25, remnant price 50c. Odd lot Long-Walst Jeans Corsets, sizes 22, 23, 24, and 25 only, 50c, value, remnant price 25c, pair,

51 ODD PIECES OF OUR \$1 AND \$1.50 SILK VELVETS, SHADES SUITABLE FOR DRESS TRIMMINGS, WAISTS, HATS, AND FANCY WORK, PIECES and Handkerchief Boxes, things 2 TO 20 YARDS, CUT TO ANY QUAN-TITY YOU DESIRE, THE GREATEST VELVET OPPORTUNITY IN YEARS, 50c. A YARD.

Valenciennes Inserting, Honiton pattern, the 35c. dozen kind, for 20c.

The 40c. Cambric Edge, skirt widths, to be sold 25c. yard.

S7-Se. YARD.

Full Width Shell-Stitched Skirting

Flannel, 15c. yard.

32-inch Brawn Shaker Flannel 20c.

mer and John A. Wagner, of North Carolina; rank from July 5, 1859.

To be first lieutenant of Thirty-first United States Volunteer Infantry, Hugh C. Preston, of Virginia; rank from July 5, 1859.

To be second lieutenant of Thirty-third United States Volunteer Infantry, John W. Henley, late first lieutenant Sixth Virginia Volunteers.

To be first lieutenant of Thirty-fifth Infantry, Harry N. Coates, of Virginia; rank from July 5, 1859.

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To be first lieutenant Sixth Virginia; rank from July 5, 1859.

To be first lieutenant of Thirty-ninth Infantry, George M. Lee, of Virginia; rank from August 17, 1889.

To be second lieutenant Fortieth Infantry, Nathaniel M. Cartmell, Jr., of Virginia, rank from 17th August, 1889.

To be second lieutenant Forty-first Infantry, Consuelo A. Seonne, of Virginia, rank from August 17, 1899.

To be first lieutenant Forty-second Infantry, Robert K. Spilier, of Virginia, rank from August 17, 1899.

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2 50c. Toy Boats at 25c. 2 Se. Toy Boats at 10c. 5 25c. Circus Ten Plns at 10c. 1 35 Christ's Birth at \$2.50. 1 \$4 Theatre at \$2.50. 3 \$2 Stores at \$1.
3 \$2 Stores at \$0c.
21 Large loc. Picture Puzzles at 5c.
7 25c. Kaleidoscopes at 5c.
1 \$10 Pool Table, damaged, \$7.50.
1 barrel—300 pounds—of Gum Drops

PAINFULLY INJURED.

KNOCKED DOWN BY AN ELECTRIC

STREET-CAR.

MARRIED IN MEMPHIS, TENN.

A Former Well-Known Young Man

of Petersburg-The Elks-New Mem-

bers-Heavy Receipts of Tobacco-

PETERSBURG, VA., December 7 .-

(Special.)-Mr. R. D. Wilkerson, a wellknown and well-to-do citizen of Lunenburg county, was knocked down by an

electric car on Sycamore Street this morning and quite painfully, though not

seriously, injured. Mr. Wilkerson, who

is quite feeble, was crossing the street

with a friend at the time, and stopped

to look for the sign of the store to which

he wished to go. Owing to the noise of

signal of an approaching car in time to

get out of its way, and he was struck

and knocked down. He received an ugly

cut to the bone over the eye some two

inches in length, which bled very freely,

and was somewhat bruised by the fall,

R. Banks, where his wound was dressed by Dr. John Mann. The incident caused

a large crowd to gather, and it was at first thought Mr. Wilkerson's injuries

were much more serious than on exami-nation they proved to be. The motorman

of the car said he used every precaution

by slacking his speed and sounding his bell, to prevent the accident.

Another citizen was struck by a car on Halifax street this morning, but, for-

tunately, was not much hurt.

There has been some complaint about the rapid speed at which the cars are run on some of our streets, but it seems that there is no ordinance regulating this

celpts of tobacco to be so large as they

have been during the past few days. It has been impossible this week to finish the sales at more than two warehouses in a day, and hardly that. The warehouses are packed to their fullest capacity, and

was taken to the drugstore of Mr. J.

Rush of Pennuts.

in the basement, 5c. a pound.

These Friday's sales make truly Bargain days here for all small lots, broken assortments, and all remnants, goods that prove slow sellers, and all the small balances of special purchases, are put forward for selling at cut prices. As to-day is the last r mnant announcement we shall make till Christmas, it will pay you to visit

MADE BEFORE YOUR EYES—
PAPER FLOWERS AND LAMP SHADES.

A new booth is established in the \$1.50.

BLACK BRILLIANTINE WAISTS, 97 remnants Dress Goods, 2 to 6 pards, all grades and styles, LESS THAN COST PRICES.

ODD PIECES LININGS.

4 places Weel Moreen, Lilac, Rive

\$1.50.

Fancy Mercerized Underskirts, only 10 of them, to-day will be sold for \$1.

Gray Cloth Capes, fur trimmed, special price to day 19c.

15 Velour Capes, trimmed in Thibet fur, sold for \$2, your choice 99c.

Wash Cheviot Underskirts, good, serviceable colors, have been marked to self for 59c. 12 All-Wool Flannel Shirt-Waists,

12 All-Wool Ffannel Shirt-Walsts,
13 Linen Skirts to go for 19c.
15 Percale Wrappers, dark and light
colors, sold for 75c., to-day 49c.
A few Breakfast Shawls, that sold for
75c., special price 50c.

Imit. Stone Marten Heads, 10c. Imit. Stone Marten Tails, 10c. Long Curly Angora Fur, yard, 25c. Lined Swansdown, yard, 25c. Inch White Thibet yard, 25c.

HOSIERY ODDS AND ENDS. 94 pairs of Ladies' 50c, Black Lisle Dropstitch Hose for 35c, pair, 1 small lot of Children's Real Maco 25c. Ribbed Hose, 15c, pair. 204 pairs of Children's and Ladies' 121c. Full Seamless Ribbed and Plain Hose, 7c. pair.

St pairs of Ladles' 25c, Dropstitch Hose, 18c, pair.

49 pairs of Children's Wool Hose, 18c, kind, for 9c, pair.

87 pairs of Silk Fleeced Lined and Wool Hose, 25c, kind, for 12c, pair.

124c, FOR BOYS' 25c, FLEECE-LINED JERSEY GLOVES, WITH KID BETWEEN FINGERS.

25c, for Children's 5cc, All-Silk Windsor.

25c. for Children's 50c. All-Silk Windsor Tles, with hemstitched ends. 17c. Tor Men's 25c. Wool Socks, Dark-Gray, Natural Wool, and Camel's-Hair. 29c. for Men's 50c. Working Shirts, yoke back and collar-band, dark colors only. 19c. for Men's 25c, Silk Teck Ties and Band-Bows.

Band-Bows.
Sc. a pair for Men's 17c. Lisle-Thread
Garters, all solid colors.
17c. for Children's 25c. All-Silk Windsor Ties and Bows.

INFANTS WEAR MUST BE PER-

INFANTS' WEAR MUST BE PERFECT.

without a spot or rumple, or they cannot be sold. Every Friday we close out everything not perfect.

75c. Keystone Shoes at 39c.

\$1 Muslin Gowns at 50c.
\$1.50 Cloth Reefers at 75c.
56c. Eating Bibs at 19c.
25c. Muslin Slips at 19c.
25c. Muslin Slips at 12 1.2c.
\$1.50 Slik Caps at 25c.
\$1.75 Elderdown Cloaks at \$1.
\$1 Rubber Diapers at 50c.
A table full of Jewelled Metal and Glass Puff Boxes, Satin-Top Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, things

odd Lengths of the finest LONG CLOTH, 16c. VALUE, FOR 8 7-Sc. YARD.

Double-Thrend Turkish Bath Towels, 19c. value, for 121-2c. ench.
All-Linen Bleached Damask, 62 inches wide, for 40c. yard.
2-yards-wide Heavy Bleached Satin Damask for 75c. yard.
18-inch All-Linen Bleached Napkins, with double selvedge, \$1 dozen.
24-inch Very Heavy Satin Damask Napkins, \$3 dozen.

broidery trimmed, 49c.
Final closing out small lots

Tailor Skirting, 50c. value, 29c.
5 pieces All-Wool Fancy Tailor Suiting,
25c. value, the yard, 19c.
About 40 yards Wool Suiting, useful colorings, sold 17c., to-day 19c.
12 pieces Plaid and Fancy Suiting, suited 12 pieces Plaid and Fancy Suiting, sincer for misses and children, bright, snappy effects, Ifc. quality, yard 121-2c. 2 pieces All-Wool and Silk Batiste, for evening waistn, sold 65c, yard, 371-2c. 1 piece Brown and Black Boucle Cloak-ing, 50 inches wide, stylish, substantial, worth 31.25 the yard, 65c.

hundreds of wagons, loaded with tobacco are compelled to stand in the streets night and day waiting to find room for their loads. Peanuts are also being brought to market in very large quanti-

ties, and additional storeroom is required

Numerical Strength of the Boers.

In face of these facts, are \$5,000 men enough to carry through an offensive war, advance 400 miles through an enemy's country, and besiege Pretoria—which is, be it remembered, fortified with heavy guns? This force will only permit of a field army of \$0,000, when \$2,000 are deducted for the lines of communication—no inordinate allowance. It is most earnestly to be hoped that we shall not allow contempt for the enemy or false economy to interfere with the dispatch of strong reinforcements at the earliest date. At feast half of the second army corps should be sent, and the other half held ready to go. This is no little war, and we want to win speediay and without a single check. Fifteen thousand more men would make our assurance doubly gure.

She Kept Cool.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.)

She was a young woman with a vivid imagination and a rapid fire vocabulary. "Oh," she said to a young man recently, "I did come so near seeing a dreadful accident yesterday! It was just too shocking."
"How did it happen?" overled the

"How did it happen?" queried the

"I was so nervous, you know."
"Yes."
"And I ate choclate creams just as fast as I could and prayed."

to accommodate them.

4 places Wool Moreen, Llac, Blue, Brown, and Cerise, regular 55c. quality, will close to-day, yard, 37 1-2c.
3 places Fancy Striped Skirting, correct goods.
2 places Striped Skirting, Brown and Green, with Black stripe, sold 19c., to-day, yard 12 1-2c.
State and White 35-inch Taketa, 10c. quality, to-day, yard, 5c.

Fine Nottingham Lace Curtal Madras weave, fine, lacy effects, full 60 inches wide, 31-2 yards long, the new lock-stitch edge, special, \$1.73-, 142 pairs, all of one pattern. Remnants of Table Oll-Cloth, 1 1-2-, 2-, and 2 1-2-yard lengths, 10c, a

Remnants Golden and Timed Draperies, 5c. a yard. 8 6-4 Chenille Table Covers, with heavy frione, 45c. each.

ODDS AND ENDS FURNITURE. 2 odd High-Back Chairs, wood seats, amples, 69c. each. 1 China Press Combination, and

tique finish, sample, \$8.50.

1 Meat Safe, wire front and ends, very neat, sample, \$2.65.

12 Chairs, Vienna make, mahogany finish, a little rubbed, in samples, otherwise perfect, at \$1.50 each. 1 Child's High Chair, slightly damaged,

\$1.99 for a superior make Leatherette Cover. 1 Single Mattrass, shuck and cotton tick, damaged, for \$1. 3 Good Soft-Top Mattresses, \$1.40. White Enamelled Beds, slightly

scratched, 82.50.
72 BASKETS, ALL SLIGHTLY OUT
OF SHAPE OR SOILED, MARKED
DOWN-SOME HALF, SOME TWOTHIRDS, SOME ONE-THIRD PRICE-

FLOWER, FRUIT, SEWING, AND STAND BASKETS. Third-Floor Specials.

2 rolls full yard-wide Ingrain Carpet, extra quality, 18c. 75c. Brussels Carpets, 2 to 3 yards, 35c. Matting Remnants, 3 to 12 yards, sold up to 35c., choice 10c. Wool Smyrna Rugs, door size, fringed ends, 19c.

ends, 19c. 1 Ready-Made Ingrain Carpet, 3x5 1 Ready-Made Ingrain Carpet, 4x4 yards, 34.25. 75c. All-Wool Ingrain Carpets, Pull

lengths, 25c. Smyrna Rugs, 36x72 inches, fringed ends, \$1.69. Short Lengths Silks, over 500 to choose from, 1-2- to 5-yard pieces, in plain and brocades, solid colors, checks, stripes, Blacks, at a saving

Basement Specials.
We always like to tell you of these, for not an article is mean

reputation of lowest prices always, 200 Decorated Glass and China Fancy-Shape Vasas and Statuary, regular loc. values, 5c.
50 Imitation Cut-Glass Vases, 12 inches high, regular 25c. value, 15c.
25 Tiplitz Vases, 10 inches high, 5 shapes, gold and floral decorations, 33 value, \$1.25.

14 Imitation Wedgewood Bonben 24-inch Very Heavy Satin Damask Napkins, \$3 dozen.

S of our finest 75c. Cambric Gowns,
Bishop make, neck and sleeves embroidery trimmed, 49c.

Final closing out small lots

COLORED DRESS GOODS.

3 half pieces All-Wool Herringbone
Tailor Skirting, 59c. value, 29c.

2 theory All-Wool Fancy, Tailor Spiting, 50c.

200 Austrian and French China Pin Trays, Cups and Saucers, Olive Trays, Moustache Cups and Saucers, Shav-ing Cups, Sugar and Cream Sets, 13 to 45c. values, 10c.

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25 Decorated Gold-Lined Salad Bowls, with side handles, 29c. value, 15c.

10 French China Smoking Sets, stippled gold, 6 pieces and trays, 12 value, 11.

12 French China Decoration Pudding Dishes, with Tray, \$1.50 value, 50c.

#### DEATHS.

CAMP.—Died at the residence of her husband, No. 11 east Grace street, Thurs-day, December 7th, at 4:15 P. M., BUR-NICE ELLIOTT, beloved wife of Luther Funeral from St. John's church, Twen and Broad streets, SATURDAY

GOFF.-Died, at the Soldlers' Home, at 629 o'clock P. M., Thursday, Decem-her 7th, GEORGE W. GOFF, in the 61st year of his age. He leaves ten children to mourn their Funeral will take place from Sacred-Heart church THIS (Friday) EVENING

EVENING at 3 o'clock.

at 2:39 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend. THACKER .- Died December 6th, at 8

Numerical Strength of the Boers.

(London Mail.)

There is further evidence that the Boers are in far greater strength in all directions than had been supposed. Before the war we were assured that the utmost force which the Transvaal could put into the field did not much exceed 20,000, and that the Orange Free State was good, at the outside, for 5,000 more. That made 25,000. But there cannot be less than 20,000 around Ladysmith. Near Colenso are 3,000 to 5,000; at Komati Poort, or moving south, 1,000 to 2,000; and perhaps elsewhere in the Transvaal another 2,000 fighting men. On the Rhodesian frontier bodies of Boers not less than 1,000 strong in the aggregate have been seen; around Mafeking there were lately 4,000 to 6,000, of whom some are said to be moving south. Kimberley is invested by at least 5,000 men, and the Orange Free State forces now invading Cape Colony cannot be much short of 6,000. Taking in every case the lower figures given, we have a gross Boer total of 42,000 and there are many indications that this is rather an underestimate then an overestimate.

In face of these facts, are \$5,000 men enough to carry through an offensive war, advance 400 miles through an one THACKER.—Died; December 6th, at 8 P. M., at his residence, No. 22 north, Twenty-first street, JAMES THOMAS THACKER, formerly of Knoxville, Tenn.; aged 42 years.
Funeral from Trinity Methodist Episcopal church THIS (Friday) AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock.
Knoxville and Heiskel (Tenn.) papers

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC, DEC. 8, 1809. 

PORT OF RICHMOND, DEC. 7, 1899. ARRIVED.

Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, JamesRiver landings and Norfolk, merchandise
and passengers; Virginia Navigation
Company.

Steamer Winyah, Simmons, Philadelphia, merchandise and passengers; Clyde
Line. Schooner Bessle Brown, Smith, Rond-out, N. Y., cement; S. H. Hawes & Co.

PORT OF NEWPORT NEWS, DEC. 2 (By telegraph) ARRIVED. Steamer Derwin, New Orleans. Schooner Bayard Barnes, Perth Amboy.

SAILED. Steamer St. Leonards, Antwerp. Steamer Derwin, Rotterdam.

PORT OF WEST POINT, DEC. 7, 1839. (By telegraph.) ARRIVED.

Mr. John Walke Friend, a well-known and very popular Petersburg boy, now living in Memphis. Tenn., wed the afternoon of December 1st Miss Martha Luella Kendall, one of the most charming young ladies of the latter city. The couple went to New Orleans on their bridal trip. The many warm friends of the bridegroom here are wishing him the greatest happiness.

At the meeting of Petersburg Lodge of Elks last night there were several initiations and eight applications for membership.

A gentleman who for the past fifteen yeers has been closely associated with one of our large warehouses, said to-day that he has never before known the receipts of tobacco to be so large as they have been defected in the analysis of the strack!"

Youth.

"Why, you see, it was like this: There was a work a bugget and Case—a horse and a bug-and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see it and Case—a horse and a bugg—and they didn't see the motor was so close—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see it was a horse and case—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see it was a horse and case—that is, the people in the buggy—and they didn't see it was a woman and two children. It hink—and she tried to drive the horse area was a woman and two children. It hink—and she tried to drive the buggy had a top t Steamship Baltimore, Murphy, Belits more; passengers and general cargo. Steamship Accomack, Thompson, Nor folk: passengers and general cargo. Steamship Elm City, Haynes, Mattaponi-river landings; passengers and general cargo.

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THE LADIES OF IMMANUEL BAP-TIST CHURCH will have a SUPPER at the church TO-NIGHT, to which they invite their friends and the public. There will be Music, Readings, and other at-tractive exercises. No admission charged, de 5-14